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An Act to amend the charter of the town of Levis

[Assented to 29 May, 1909]

WHEREAS the town of Levis has, by its petition, repre- Preamble.
sented that it is in the interest of the proper adminis-
tration of the town that additional powers be conferred on it
and that certain amendments be made to its charter, the act
6 Edward VII, chapter 49, and whereas it is expedient to grant
the prayer to that effect contained in the said petition ;

Therefore, His Majesty with the advice and consent of the
Legislative Council and of the Legislative Assembly of Quebec,
enacts as follows :

1. The town of Levis is authorized to enter into an agree- Town of
ment, with the corporation of the city of Quebec with a view Levis author-
to the organization and maintenance of a ferry service over ized to enter
the river St. Lawrence, between that town and the city of into certain
Quebec and it is hereby authorized to borrow for that purpose contract, &c.
a sum of money not exceeding two hundred and fifty thousand
dollars and shall have all the powers necessary for the putting
of such service in operation.

2. For the purposes of the said loan, the town of Levis is Issue of
authorized to issue bonds or debentures and to establish such bonds, &c.
sinking funds as may be necessary for that object ; such de-
bentures may be made redeemable in fifty years or within a
shorter period.

3. In the event of the city of Quebec and the town of Levis Contracts to
not undertaking the aforesaid ferry service over the river St. be based on
Lawrence, every contract made and entered into with any per- certain by-
son or company for such service shall be based on a by-law laws, &c.
drawn up by a joint committee of the members of the coun-
cils of the said city and of the said town as set forth in section
24 of the act 6 Edward VII, chapter 49, and such contract
must be approved by the Lieutenant-Governor in Council.

4. Article 37 of the act 6 Edward VII, chapter 49, is re- 6 Ed. VII, c.
pealed. 49, s. 37, re-
pealed.

5. The following article is inserted in the act 6 Edward VII, Id., s. 17a,
chapter 49, after article 17 : added.

" **17a.** Article 127 of the Cities and Towns' Act, 1903, 3 Ed. VII, c.
is replaced for the town by the following : 38, s. 127,
replaced for

" **127.** If the clerk has not made the alphebetical list of town.
Appointment

of special clerk.

electors or has not given or published the notice required by article 123 by the eighth day of December, the judge of the Superior Court for the district or, in the event of his absence or inability to act, a judge of a neighbouring district or the district magistrate, on summary petition of any person entitled to be entered as an elector in the municipality, shall appoint a special clerk to prepare the alphabetical list of electors."

Salary of mayor.

6. The council of the town of Levis may by-law enact that an annual remuneration in money of not less than five hundred dollars nor more than one thousand dollars shall be allowed the mayor of the town of Levis.

Closing of streets on paying compensation, &c.

7. The town of Levis shall have the right to close any street or part of a street or public park, provided always that if anybody suffers any damage he shall receive compensation to be fixed by arbitration. Such arbitration shall be conducted in accordance with the provisions of articles 532 and following of the Cities and Towns' Act 1903.

Where closed, &c., streets to go

The town of Levis may declare that the land of such closed or discontinued street, part of street or park shall return to those entitled thereto.

Coming into force.

8. This act shall come into force on the day of its sanction.

CHAP. 88

An Act to amend the charter of the town of St. Louis

[Assented to 29th May, 1909]

Preamble.

WHEREAS the corporation of the town of St. Louis has, by its petition, represented that it is in the interest of the proper administration of the town that certain amendments be made to its charter, the act 59 Victoria, chapter 55, and it is expedient to grant its prayer ;

Therefore, His Majesty, with the advice and consent of the Legislative Council and of the Legislative Assembly of Quebec, enacts as follows :

59 V., c. 55, articles added.

1. The following articles are inserted in the act 59 Victoria, chapter 55, after article 9a, as enacted by the act 7 Edward VII, chapter 68, section 1 :

Annexation of town to Montreal.

" 9b. The town of St. Louis, with its territorial limits as established by its charter, shall be annexed to the city of Montreal on the thirty-first day of December, 1909.

Town to be known as

" 9c. The town of St. Louis shall form one of the wards of